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Land & Water Resources Committee July 11th, 2019 – 8:00 am USDA Building, Mauston WI

PRESENT: Joe Lally, Chair, Rodney Seamans, Scott Wilhorn, Chris Zindorf, FSA Rep. Jim Raese, NRCS Rep. Jon Field, Dustin Ladd, Sarah Fleck, Brian Goepfert

- 1. Meeting called to order by chair, Joe Lally, at 7:56 am.
- 2. MINUTES

Motion by Zindorf seconded by Seamans to approve the minutes of June 13th, 2019 meeting. Motion carried.

3. VOUCHERS

Motion by Wilhorn, seconded by Raese. Motion carried

- 4. NRCS- Jon Field
 - *Juneau County has 44 CSP applications, most of the field visits have been completed
 - * A pasture walk was held on Paradise Found Farms on June 19th
 - *10 applications have been funded for EQIP
- FSA Jim Raese
 - *Crop Reporting deadline is being extended by one week to July 22nd
 - * Dairy producers that are still milking are slowly signing up for the DMC program
 - *Still no details on the Market Facilitation Program for 2019
 - *A new PT has been selected, waiting for the background check to be completed
- 6. MULTI-COUNTY GROUNDWATER UPDATE Dustin Ladd
 - *A meeting was held on June 24th, 5 county board members attended
 - *A decision was made to create 2 groups a technician's workgroup and an outreach workgroup
 - *The next meeting will be held July 29th in Adams

7. JUNE WATER TESTING PROGRAM - Dustin Ladd

- *Over 300 nitrate samples were tested
- *10% of the samples taken tested over 10 ppm
- * Another nitrate testing program will be held during the Juneau County Fair

8. VAN REPLACEMENT - Dustin Ladd

- *Discussion on repair or replacement of Land & Water van
- *Motion by Zindorf, seconded by Lally for Dustin Ladd to begin replacement process. Motion carried

9. MOU WITH USGS & LAKE REDSTONE PROTECTION DISTRICT-Dustin Ladd

- * Stream gage equipment will be installed in 3 locations on the North end of the lake
- *The equipment will measure sediment loading into and out of the lake and will assist with the Lake Redstone 9 Key Element Plan
- *USGS has offered a 50% cost share, Juneau and Sauk county along with the Lake Redstone Protection district will cover the remaining 50%
- *Motion by Wilhorn, seconded by Zindorf to approve Dustin Ladd signing the MOU. Motion carried

10. DUFFY ROAD PROJECT- Dustin Ladd

- *The DNR worked two weeks to complete the scheduled construction for the projects first year
- *Future work at the site includes dredging, brush removal, and removal of a pond

11. MANURE STORAGE ORDINANCE UPDATE- Brian Goepfert

- *Brian Goepfert is in the process of updating the Juneau County manure storage ordinance
- *The old standards are outdated and there are new standards to include such as NR151
- *Discussed manure overflow problems in Juneau County

12. CLEAN SWEEP- Sarah Fleck

- *Update was given on 2019 Clean Sweep.
- *Discussed meeting with Highway department and volunteers to work the 26th and 27th

13. NEW/OTHER BUSINESS

- * Update on the Lake Redstone Field Day which will take place on July 30th
- 14. Next meeting set August 8th, 2019 at 8:00 am Location: USDA building
- 15. Meeting adjourned Motion by Wilhorn, seconded by Seamans to adjourn the meeting at 9:31 a.m. Motion carried.